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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

As a consumer and small business owner who supports broadband competition I would reject this proposal that would increase cost and stifle competition.

Currently use the fiber broadband an recently upgraded from DSL. Cost is a big concern as my phone and cable rates keep rising but my competitive broadband service has kept prices consistently flat.

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